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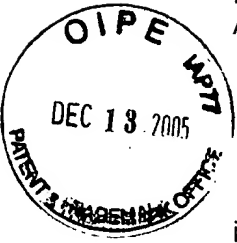
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Applicants respectfully submit that the identified typographical errors were made inadvertently. More specifically, one letter "l" after "poly" in the name of polylactides is missing. Applicants submit that such mistake occurred in good faith.

Furthermore, Applicants submit that the mistake is a typographical nature, and the correction does not involve changes which would constitute new matter, or require reexamination.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 4, line 15, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 4, line 26, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 4, line 27, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 7, line 27, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 7, line 30, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 8, line 6, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 8, line 9, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 9, line 38, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 9, line 41, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 10, line 28, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--  
Column 10, line 31, change "polyactides" to --polylactides--

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